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Title: HUMAN LYSOPHOSPHATIDIC ACID  
ACYLTRANSFERASE GAMMA-1  
POLYPEPTIDE (As Amended)

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on June 2, 2005, concerning the above-referenced patent application. Applicants resubmit herewith the entire "Amendments to the Specification" section of the Amendment filed on March 10, 2005, in compliance with 37 CFR § 1.121. Since this paper is filed within the one-month shortened statutory period, Applicants consider this paper timely filed.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: